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EXTRACTS OF POLYGONUM MULTIFLORUM THUNB., AND

PREPARATION PROCESS AND USES OF THE SAME

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Claims 1-23 are pending in the present application. In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on March 27, 2006, applicant elects the species of Claim 6. Claim 6, as well as generic Claims 1-4, 12, and 23 read on the elected species. Applicant hereby makes such election without traverse.

If the Examiner has any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact applicant's attorney at the number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,

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